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BROTHERS IN SERVICE



CPL. MILTON S. LAFONTAINE



PVT. CLIFTON O. LAFONTAINE

Cpl. Milton S. Lafontaine and Private Clifton O. Lafontaine are another of the Bay St. Louis brother combinations serving their country for the cause of democracy. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lafontaine of Bay St. Louis.

Mrs. Antoinette Estapa Toulme Dies Suddenly

Mrs. Antoinette Estapa Toulme, 79 years of age died suddenly at the home of her son Millard E. Toulme on Tuesday, August 22 at 7:30 p. m.

Funeral services were held from the Fahey Funeral Home Wednesday morning with the rites of the Catholic church and a requiem mass at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic church at 10 a. m. Rev. Father William Clark conducted the services at the funeral home and at Cedar Rest cemetery and the Very Rev. Father A. J. Gmelch was the celebrant at the Mass.

Those serving as pallbearers were Walter Favre, Laurent Dickson, Louis Bandet, H. Grady Perkins, M. M. Hirth and Fred Herlihy.

She leaves five daughters Mrs. Pearl Shinnie, Mrs. Dora Gray, Mrs. E. M. Hirth, of New Orleans; Mrs. F. B. Sellier, Gulfport, Mrs. L. J. Sellier, Bogalusa and her son Millard E. Toulme of this city, and 12 grandchildren.

The Estapa and Toulme families have been linked with Bay St. Louis for generations and the passing of Mrs. Toulme is another of the links to be removed.

She was a woman who lived her Christianity and was devoted to her church. She was a member of the Altar Society and the Children of Mary and almost to the end she was active in her church work. She will be missed by many who knew and loved her.

Her funeral was largely attended and she rests beneath a wealth of beautiful flowers beside her husband the late Robert W. Toulme, former mayor of Bay St. Louis.

To her splendid family the Echo is extending deep sympathy at the loss of their mother.

TAG DAY

Saturday, August 26 is TAG DAY for the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library. The city and county need the library and the library needs you so add an extra amount to your shopping budget on Saturday in order that you may say that you contributed generously to the library.

Watch for the pretty girls who will be on the streets from 8:30 to noon ready to pin a tag on you in return for a generous donation to the cause of education and good reading. You can't escape these attractive young ladies so be prepared to put something in their boxes.

Remember that this is for the book fund of the library and the means of purchasing books. The Philistines could not make brick without straw so the library cannot buy books without money. Once a year you are asked to contribute on Tag Day so it is hoped that the library will realize a large amount through your influence on your friends. Talk tag day and make it a big success.

HELP THE RUSSIAN RELIEF

When you rise in the morning to greet the sun and to enjoy your not buttered toast and steaming coffee and your morning paper remember the Russians. When you relax at the noon hour and partake of a light lunch of your favorite salad and cool drink remember the Russians. When the day's work and worries are over and you are having the pleasure of your evening meal with your family around you remember the Russians. When you lie down to sleep on a comfortable bed with cool bed linens remember the Russians.

Our neighbors though many miles across the sea still our neighbors have not the necessities of life. Their food supply is insufficient; they need towels and pillow cases and many of us have more than we need. They lack tooth brushes and the ones you have discarded can be sterilized and used. Maybe you can afford to buy a new one for them.

The next time you have a bridge foursome have each player put up 25c and put it aside for the Russian Relief Fund. Don't drink two cokes a day. One is sufficient and the cost of the other you wanted to drink can go to the Russian Relief. Twenty nickels make a dollar.

Clothing is also needed for the families of these gallant people who help fight our war as well as their own. And don't give clothing that you wouldn't wear yourself. Give of your clothing what you have sufficient to share.

This is an appeal to you to help in this worthy cause. You do not need to be told just what they, the Russians have suffered because that is publicized by press and radio every day. You need their help and they need yours.

Mrs. Kenneth Knoblock is chairman of this drive and you may leave what you have at the Radio Electric Shop with Mr. George Stevenson and she will pick it up.

CANON SORIN OFFERS THANKS

The Very Rev. R. J. Canon Sorin wants to thank all those who contributed to make the event on July 30 such a fine success.

Thanks to those who decorated the church so splendidly as it has never been seen before. It was truly made so by artists in that line.

Thanks in a special manner to Most Rev. R. O. Gerow, D. D., who spoke so feelingly on the works of Canon Sorin. He called him a philosopher, even a laughing philosopher, but above all a real religious philosopher. It was quite a deep thought on his part. In fact it was the best compliment that Canon Sorin has ever received in his life.

Thanks to all those who worked so diligently to make the event such a success, and those who worked so hard for the preparation of such a fine dinner given to the visiting clergy which was greatly enjoyed and appreciated by Most Rev. R. O. Gerow, Right Rev. Mgr. Peter U. H. Wynhoven, Editor in Chief of the Catholic Action of the South, to the Very Rev. Canon A. J. Gmelch, who was so kind to come and sing the Solemn High Mass for that great occasion; to Rev. Christian Baker, S. V. D., Deacon and Rev. John J. Martin, Sub-deacon and Very Rev. Joseph Brunini, T. C. D., Chancellor of the Diocese as Master of Ceremonies.

Among the Clergy were: Very Rev. Mgr. H. Joseph Jacobi, New Orleans; Rev. Thomas Lilley, C. M. Rev. Thomas Hayes, Rev. S. G. Sweeney, S. S. J.; Rev. M. J. Costello, Rev. William Clark, Rev. F. Diegnan, Rev. Edward Hennessey, S. S. J.; Rev. John McGlade and two chaplains from the Navy Base.

Special thanks to the fine altar boys from Bay St. Louis, who came for the Solemn High Mass.

One of the greatest features of the occasion was a costly gift of a fine Missale Romanum presented to Canon Sorin by Rev. Christian Baker, S. V. D., and such a souvenir shall be deeply engraved in the heart of Canon Sorin who shall ever be grateful for it to the donors from St. Augustine Seminary of Bay St. Louis. May God bless their great and grand work for the honor and Glory of God.

VERY REV. R. J. CANON SORIN

HOSPITAL NOTES

The following births are recorded at the Kings Daughters Hospital for the past week: Sergeant and Mrs. Taft Shaw, Bay St. Louis, a son on August 13; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kingston, Bay St. Louis, August 19, their first baby.

Miss Laverne Craft, Aaron Academy, underwent an appendectomy at the Kings Daughters Hospital on Monday. She is the daughter of Mr. Ben Craft.

Mrs. Georgie Cret is a medical patient at the hospital here.

Mrs. Oswald Nease, Rocky Hill, was dismissed from the hospital following a major operation.

WOUNDED AT SAIPAN ISLAND



JAKE MORREALE, JR.

Somewhere in the Pacific (delayed)—Though wounded by four enemy machine gun bullets, Marine Private First Class Jake Morreale, Jr., of 133 State St., Bay St. Louis, Miss., kept going long enough to knock out a Japanese machine gun nest with a grenade during the recent struggle for Saipan Island.

Appointed acting corporal when his unit's corporal was wounded, Private Morreale led his men inland until they were stopped by withering fire from an enemy gun emplacement. Morreale grabbed some hand grenades and crawled under the Jap fire, through a sugar cane field. The Japs spotted him and began to fire.

A machine gun bullet struck the Mississippi Marine in the neck. Another hit him in the left arm. A third grazed his right arm. By the time a fourth bullet tore through his right leg, Morreale was close enough to toss the grenade and blast the enemy emplacement.

Jake enlisted in the Marines on January 2, 1943 and went overseas on June 6th, 1943. He was slightly wounded in the Tarawa Battle in November.

He is married to the former Miss Angeline Bourgouis of Bay St. Louis and they have one son.

Home On Leave

Staff Sergeant Roy Strong, Army Air Corps, arrived from the West Coast on Sunday afternoon by way of Camp Shelby and is spending a twenty-one day leave with his mother Mrs. Charles Strong.

Sergeant Strong has been in India for two years and seven months and will be sent to Hotel Miami Beach for rest and reassignment.

He entered the service in 1941 and was sent to West Palm Beach, Florida in the communication air corps section. He went overseas in 1942 and has been at an air base in India since that time.

He said that the heat in India is very trying and health conditions poor with an inadequate supply of water.

When asked about the work of the Red Cross he said they were doing a splendid work there and said the hospitals were well equipped and a large number of doctors and nurses always on hand.

Wherever the American soldiers were fighting they showed undoubted courage and a fine technique of fighting.

He is glad to be back in the states but has had an experience which would make interesting reading were it released.

Spending Leave at Home With Mother

Lieutenant George Hammer, commanding a minesweeper in the U. S. Navy, is spending a leave here with his mother Mrs. George Hammer and his sister Miss Dorothy Hammer at the family home in Jeff Davis avenue.

Lt. Hammer who has been in war combat in the invasion and has had thrilling and hazardous experiences is home for a rest.

He is a graduate of St. Stanislaus and Mississippi State and entered the service in 1941. He took his training at Southwestern University and at Des Moines Warfare School at Yorktown, Virginia.

His brother Lieut. (j g) Richard Hammer is also in the Navy but is not with the family here.

Lt. Hammer is one of the four home boys here from overseas.

WOUNDED ON AUGUST 4

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Moore are in receipt of news that their son Hugh Moore was wounded on August 4th and is in a hospital in France. It is a knee injury and the message said that it is thought he will be out in a few weeks.

American + Red Cross

In answer to the very strong appeal made by Mr. Walter Gex, County Chairman, the ladies of Aaron Academy requested that a room be opened in their vicinity, so that they may partake in the county work of providing sterile dressings for the Armed Forces. Mrs. Gex, chairman of Surgical Dressings, with Mrs. Leo Ford, made a trip to Aaron Academy to meet with the ladies there to formulate plans for the opening and operating of work rooms for this locality. They met at the home of Mrs. Isaac Frierson, and at the present time there are about ten ladies who are planning to make quite a success of their new undertaking.

Mrs. Gex, Chairman of Surgical Dressings, reports this week 18,000 dressings were shipped by the Chapter. To the many ladies participating in the work of making these dressings, she wishes to convey her appreciation of their good work, and asks for continued cooperation in this very important unit of production.

Special mention for the excellent work done by the Wednesday night class of surgical dressing workers should be made. These ladies under the leadership of Mrs. Stroup and Mrs. Elizabeth Boudin have been turning out both quality and quantity. Last Wednesday they produced 1,000 dressings.

Mrs. Louis Maumus, Executive Secretary for the County, and Mrs. Leo Seal, chairman of Volunteer Special Services, attended the regular monthly meeting of the Camp and Hospital Council, held last Wednesday at Gulfport Field. They took with them 38000 dressings, which were donated after an appeal had been made through this column, and which were greatly appreciated by the Council.

To be able to give credit for work well done, by diligent workers, is always a source of pleasure, and this week it is our pleasure to comment on excellent work done by the Canteen Unit. These ladies work very ably and graciously, whenever their services are in demand. At the recent blood bank they served stimulating and generous refreshments to the many donors, and prior to their work at the bank, they served a very delicious luncheon to the members of the Technical Unit of the Red Cross, who were guests of the County Chapter during the time spent working here. Mrs. Stroup, home economics teacher at Bay High, who has instructed the ladies of the Canteen Unit in their work, planned and supervised this luncheon, very ably assisted by her former pupils. There is nothing that leaves a more pleasant taste, both literally and figuratively, than good food well prepared; so to these ladies of the Canteen our thanks.

BLOOD BANK

One hundred and eighty-six lives saved this week by Hancock County residents!

Figures and facts; recorded statistics. Quite a nice showing and one of which we can all be very proud.

To the many donors, and to you the many workers, the Chapter would like to extend its deepest gratification for the splendid cooperation which was shown on Monday past. The Mobile Unit, with its staff of Technical workers, under the guidance of Dr. Tuberville, the volunteer workers, and the donors, moved as one in a steady stream of work all during the afternoon. No halts, nor any unpleasant occurrences marred the sacred work which was being done in the Gymnasium of Bay High School, and the saving of lives is very very sacred. Everyone present felt that the war is in its last stages, and knew the necessity of speeding the victory along. They were anxious to be a part with the men over there. They gave generously, happy in the knowledge that they could serve humanity. Many were the faces who had donated their blood at previous banks, many were new, who had been unable to give before. Sixty cadets, new recruits, who had only been in service for three days, came from the Merchant Marine Base to contribute their blood. This was the largest and most successful bank held yet in the County. The realization of the necessity for these donations by the people of the County, their responding gestures of sacrifice to give their blood to save the life of a fellow being, will long be remembered in the annals of the County.

The Chapter representatives wish to express their heartfelt appreciation to every participant, to each one of you they say, "Thank you, and God bless you."

REPORTED KILLED IN ACTION



CLAUDE (DEMP) DAWSEY

A recent telegram from the War Department to Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dawsey, Logtown, Miss., notified them that their son, Claude Dawsey, U. S. Marine Corps, was killed in action while performing his duty and service to his country. He was buried in the locality where death occurred and little information is available at this time.

Claude entered the service November 12, 1943 and landed overseas April 12th. He reached his 21st birthday July 18th.

A brother, Ralph Dawsey, is in the army and now serving in England.

RENEWAL OF BASIC "A" RATIONS

The Local War Price and Rationing Board announces the renewal procedure of Basic "A" rations. This renewal will be handled on a mail basis.

Applications will be available at all Hancock County filling stations. Since an adequate supply of forms has been delivered to all filling stations that all applicants pick up the forms at the stations.

The public is urged to apply for their "A" renewals immediately in order to make sure they will receive them in plenty of time.

The application procedure is as follows:

A. The application form R-534 must be properly filled in. One part of the form will be the application and the other—stub—will be the new mileage rationing record. The application must fill in all of the spaces on both application and the stub except those which are enclosed within heavy borders.

B. The back cover—"Certification of Bookholder"—of his basic "A" book must be attached to the application. This should have the applicant's signature and address in the space provided therefor. The public will not be required to retain the tire inspection record after the new mileage rationing record has been issued. This new record will replace the tire inspection record for the purpose of ration issuance notations. The recording of tire serial numbers is eliminated from the new form.

C. Send the completed form together with the back cover to the following address:

War Price Rationing Board No. 23, Box 72, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.

Capt. J. C. Roland, Jr., Home on Furlough

Captain J. C. Roland, Jr., Army Transportation Corps is home from overseas on rotation for assignment.

Capt. Roland is a graduate of Saint Stanislaus and enlisted in the regular Army November 6, 1940 and went to Fort Benning. From there he was sent to the Puerto Rico department as staff sergeant in 1941. Went to Camp Lee, Virginia, to Quartermaster School and graduated from there in 1942. Left for England the same year and served four months in Southern England, Third Port Transportation Corps. Left in November 1942 for North Africa and participated in the invasion landing at Oran, Africa.

He has been through Tunisia, Sicily and Italian campaigns on various missions.

He was promoted to first lieutenant while in England in 1942 and was then promoted to Captain in October 1943 in North Africa.

Captain Roland is looking well and a little heavier but is taking it quiet.

Attend Camp Wilkes

Eight young people of the Methodist Youth Fellowship, Seashore District, attended the camp at Camp Wilkes last week. They were in charge of Rev. E. D. Samples and those going were: Charles Dean Russell, Dorothy Register, Jean Pritchard, Gloria Biehl, June Swan, Reta Kimmell, Ruth Kirst and John Swan.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO OPEN 1944-45 SESSION FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

The public schools of Bay St. will open for the 1944-45 session on Friday, September 8th at 9 o'clock A. M. All classifications and assignments of books will be taken care of at this time. Students entering school are urged to be present and secure books so that regular work may begin on Monday, September 11th.

All children entering school for the first time must present birth certificates. No children will be admitted to school who are not six years old by February 1st or mid-term.

The school lunch room will begin operation on Monday, September 11 under the direction of Mrs. J. T. Wolfe.

The daily schedule will be the same as last year beginning at nine a. m. until noon; one hour for lunch; classes will be dismissed at 3:40 p. m.

Faculty

Celine F. Ashcraft, Primary. Luvenia Saucier, Second. Carmelite Spotorno, Third. Lucille Anderson, Fourth. Mrs. W. W. James, Third & Fourth. Iris Campbell, Fifth. Mrs. Ethel Zengarling, Sixth. Alma Parker, Junior High Math. Mrs. Claire Kidd, Junior Hi Science. Mrs. A. B. Dubuison, Junior High English. Lucille Noble, Physical Ed (girls). A. B. Dubuison, High School Math. Elizabeth Harrington, Commercial. Julia Blaize, History. Mrs. George Curet, English. Margaret Turner, Librarian and English. Mrs. Annie Mae Stroup, Home Economics. Shannon, Band and Orchestra. Mrs. Carl Smith, Public School music, piano. Mrs. W. W. Stockstill, Taylor School.

The colored school faculty will be the same as last year.

To Speak At Main Street Methodist Church Sunday

There is a treat in store for those interested in what "America" may have to offer after the war when Miss Thelma Stevens will talk at the Main Street Methodist Church on Sunday, August 27 at 7:30 p. m. on "Christians and the New World Economy."

Miss Stevens who is on the staff of the Board of Missions of the Methodist church, will give the third quarter of the Mission study course which is under the direction of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Bay St. Louis Methodist Church.

The discussion will cover various phases of farmers, unions, jobs to post war plans and other topics along the lines of secretary Cordell Hull and Gov. Dewey's opinion that all people must be better informed.

This is your invitation to attend this discussion and hear this distinguished speaker.

Don't forget the time and place: The Main Street Methodist Church at 7:30 p. m. Everybody is welcome and it is hoped there will be a large crowd present.

Awarded Purple Heart Medal

Pvt. William Lee Jones, Sr., son of Mrs. Bess Shean Jones of Ruthertown, N. C., stationed somewhere in Italy has been awarded the Purple Heart on June 27th.

Pvt. Jones had entered the service on September 7, 1943 and left for overseas March 17, 1944. Bill's family on June 14th received word that he had been injured in the ankle and neck.

Mrs. William Lee Jones, Sr., has received word from Washington, Aug. 24 that her husband had returned to active duty again.

Mrs. Jones is the former Miss Elsie Luke. Elsie and her twenty-month old son Billy Lee are residing with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Luke.

At Home on Leave

Leon Perre is at home for a twenty-five day leave while his ship is in port for overhauling. He is enjoying being in Bay St. Louis with his family and friends. He has been in the thick of the fighting in the Gilbert and Marshall Islands and at Saipan and there is much he might tell but which he wants to forget.

Bay St. Louis is glad to have him home and glad to know that he is safe and so far unscarred from battle.

DUFFY-CARVER

Mr. and Mrs. Alice Carver wish to announce the marriage of their daughter Hattie Mae to Corp. John C. Duffy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Duffy, Sr., of Newark, Ohio. The reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carver. Corporal Duffy is a bombing instructor at Denver, Colorado.

WOUNDED IN ACTION



PFC. EUGENE MORAN

Pfc. Eugene Moran who was wounded in action in France on July 26th. Pfc. Moran has been overseas since April 7, 1944. He is the son of Mrs. Louisa Moran of Kiln, Miss.

Register Requests For Laborers, Clerks, Etc. with Hancock County Reemployment Committee

All Merchants, Mill Operators, Factories, Transportation Lines, Commercial Fishermen, Farmers and all other Industries or Private Individuals in the County who are in need of laborers, clerks, etc., are requested to register their needs with the Secretary of the Reemployment Committee, whose office is maintained in the Local Service Board's Office. The Hancock County Reemployment Committee is primarily engaged in securing employment for Honorably Discharged Veterans of the Present War.

FORSTER COMMAGERE
Chairman Reemployment Committee
GEORGE HEITZMAN
Secretary.

Banks To Act As Redemption Agencies For Cashing War Bonds

Regulations for the qualification of commercial banks wishing to act as redemption agencies for Series E War Bonds are in the course of preparation and all banks are expected to be in a position to redeem bonds by October 1, according to an announcement made by Rex I. Brown, State Chairman of the Mississippi War Finance Committee.

"Officials in Washington have notified us that a plan is being worked out whereby banks may redeem E bonds," Mr. Brown said. "This means that, when the plan is put into effect, a person holding E Bonds can go to a qualified bank and have them redeemed for cash on the spot, thereby saving the delay formerly caused by having to send the bonds to Federal Reserve Banks. The purpose of this is a greater convenience to the bond holder who must cash his bond for an emergency. And, too, war bonds are now more directly competitive with cash savings."

"However, we wish to urge citizens to hold on to their bonds, it at all possible until they mature. E Bonds, as you know, can be cashed after being held for 60 days. But unless citizens hold the bonds longer they do not draw interest and they do not materially aid the war effort. Instead, our government is merely out the expense of issuing and cashing."

The official complimented citizens of Mississippi for having a good record of keeping their E Bonds, and said this announcement was being made to inform the public of the new convenience being provided for those who find it absolutely necessary to cash bonds.


Wounded In France

News has been received here that Captain James Mehaffey, Army, has been wounded in France and is in a hospital in England.

The cablegram came to Mrs. Mehaffey shortly after she had left for Baton Rouge to visit Captain Mehaffey's family and her mother relayed the message so no further particulars have been received here. The message stated that he had been slightly wounded and their friends here are hoping that here will soon be cheering news from him.

Bay High Summer School Closes

The Bay High summer school session closed Saturday, August 19 after a satisfactory session. There were three to complete their senior work and receive the high school diplomas. Robert Drescher, Jack Wolfe and William Henry Williams.



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RATS

IN last week's issue of this paper there appeared an advertisement by W. A. McDonald & Sons, making an appeal to the people of the county to realize the seriousness of the rat situation. They mentioned that thousands of dollars worth of property are being destroyed every day by rats, and that in addition to the destruction of property, these same rats are carrying typhus germs, and it is our understanding that at the present time there are some eight or ten cases of typhus fever in the county.

Many communities have set out to carry on a campaign for the extermination of these rodents. The officials of the City of Bay St. Louis, the Town of Waveland and the County who have contributed many dollars for the improvement of public health should at once begin a campaign along the lines suggested by Mr. McDonald.

We know of no better public service that could be rendered at this time.

OVERSEAS CHRISTMAS MAIL

THE Postoffice Department reminds Americans that Christmas packages for Army and Navy personnel overseas must be mailed between September 15th and October 15th.

Because of the importance of getting mail out of our service men, we call attention to the reminder of Postmaster-General Frank C. Walker, who urges that these rules be carefully followed:

- (1) Address of the sender and addressee should be written inside the package as well as on the outside, to assure delivery in case the outside wrapper is lost.
- (2) Containers made of metal, wood or fiberboard are preferable.
- (3) Parcels must not exceed five pounds, nor be more than 15 inches long or 36 inches in length and girth combined.
- (4) "Christmas Parcel" should be marked plainly on the outside and package should be carefully packed, wrapped and securely tied.
- (5) Perishable goods, intoxicants, inflammable materials and anything that may damage other mail must not be sent.

YOUTH QUITTING HIGH SCHOOL

OFFICIALS of the Federal Government, worried because statistics show a decline in high school attendance of more than one million students in the last three years have invited all community groups, including teachers, parents, employers, labor organizations, civic leaders, welfare agencies, youth-service organizations, and youth itself to join in a "Go-To-School" Drive.

The United States Office of Education reports a steadily increasing number of boys and girls of high school age taking full or part-time war jobs. In 1943, about 2,750,000 boys and girls, 14-17 years, were working full or part-time. This was three times the number working at the time of the census in 1940, but, by July 1943, an estimated five million school-age children had jobs.

The trend of students to employment is reflected in a drop in attendance at American high schools. The peak attendance was reached in 1940-41, when 7,250,000 students were enrolled, but today all gains since 1934 have been wiped out and our high schools are educating only as many students as they did ten years ago.

Paul V. McNutt, Chairman of the War Manpower Commission, sends a message to the nation's youth, telling them that "the opening of school this fall is your D-Day in the struggle for a better world."

Miss Katherine F. Lenroot, Chief of the Children's Bureau, says that school is the best place to get basic training for good living in the years when the war is over.

John W. Studebaker, U. S. Commissioner of Education, points out that the country "can do its duty only if citizens continue to 'know how.'"

He adds, "The best place to get ready for tomorrow is in high school."

"UNLOADED" GUNS DANGEROUS

IN a newspaper published in another state, we read about the fatal shooting of a boy who was handling an "unloaded" gun. The accident should remind parents that firearms should be kept out of the reach of small children and that older children should be taught to regard a gun or a pistol as a dangerous weapon.

Of course, we are thoroughly cognizant of the fact that no parent, reading this article, will do anything about the "unloaded" gun peril. They know that their children "understand" the danger involved.

It is the same with the children themselves, despite all the words of advice from their parents. Every child "knows" that he, or she, will not be killed by an "unloaded" gun.

Nevertheless, the fact is that a number of children are killed every year through carelessness in connection with firearms. In fact, a number of adults also blast themselves into kingdom come because they fail to take proper precautions with firearms.

Buying bonds in August is one way for civilians to help the war effort.

You can think without being able to read but you can hardly read without thinking.

A vacation is good for everybody but it is rather difficult to find a spot where rest is possible.

You may not understand the reasons for the shortage but, just the same, save your waste paper.

There seems to be some Americans who think that this country, after the war, should guarantee a high living standard for all the people of the globe.



AT MISSISSIPPI STATE

Dr. G. D. Humphrey, President of Mississippi State College, says the college will inaugurate a full four-year course in institutional management, such as hotel management, laundry, and store operation. It is intended that practical training and experience be made an integral part of this course. The new course will be in addition to the courses already offered by the college in vocational training. The course of study in health education will be a full four-year course. One taking this course will be prepared to teach health courses and work in government health programs. In this connection arrangements will be made to give special training in clinical laboratory work.

"E" AWARDED

The Grenada Industries, Inc., has been doing some intensive work along the line and all concerned are proud of the Army-Navy "E" which has been awarded them. Congratulations are deserved.

RUSSELL WRIGHT

Hon. Russell Wright, former Assistant Attorney General, who resigned that position some months ago

CLASSIFIED ADS

PERMANENT WAVE, 59c! Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied.

KERNS 5-10c STORE
8:11 thru 10:13-pd.

"HELP WANTED — MALE & FEMALE"

ESTABLISHED ROUTE AVAILABLE

We want a man or woman capable of taking over established food and medicine route in Bay St. Louis. Has been paying up to \$50 per week; possibilities unlimited. Write the J. R. Watkins Company, 72-80 W. Iowa Street, Memphis 2, Tennessee.
8:18-25pd.

LOST — Brown wallet containing money and bonds—Between L. & N. baggage room and 131 Washington street. Finder please return to Mrs. Fred M. Willard, 131 Washington street. Reward.
8:25pd.

WANTED
MAN for yard work for one day only. Good pay. Phone 411.
8:25

FOR SALE
MAHOGANY DRESSER, library table, chairs, bookcases, antique mirror, lamp. Mrs. Seymour Samuels, Jr., 620 North Beach Blvd.
8:25

FOR SALE
LARGE ICE BOX, suitable for grocery store, carrying meat, vegetables, etc. Price \$500.00. Can be seen at Magnolia State Supply Co., James L. Crump, R. F. D. Bay St. Louis, Miss.
8:11-13-tchg

FOR SALE
GENERAL Electric Sun Lamp, one 9x12 Rug. Phone 411.
8:25

FOR SALE
ONE large wardrobe—in good condition. Telephone 211.
8:25pd.

FOR SALE
ELECTRIC STOVE—Good Condition, 222 North Beach, Phone 378-J.
8:25pd.

FOR SALE
1939 CHRYSLER ROYAL—4 new tires. Apply Sea Coast Echo.
8:25

FOR SALE
ONE lady's and one man's bicycle—Apply Tulane Apartment. 1tp.

FOR SALE
LARGE Circulating Kerosene Heater. Heats 5 rooms. Used one winter, \$50.00. Phone 193-W.
8:25

WANT TO PURCHASE
TRAINED BIRD DOG. One that can do everything. State price. Lionel F. Favret, 937 Gravier St., New Orleans, 12, La.
8:25chg.

FOR SALE
MEDIUM size 3-gaited six year old saddle mare. Phone 257 W. Waveland, 154 Beach Blvd.
8:25chg.

BICYCLE FOR SALE
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8:25pd.

and returned to his former home in Meridian, has opened a law office in the Rosenbaum Building in that city. He has also announced as a candidate for Representative in the legislature to fill the vacancy created by the recent resignation of Hon. Martin Miller.

LOCATES IN JACKSON

Attorney T. Harvey Hedgepeth, who formerly acted as General Counsel of the Federal Land Bank and other government agencies operating in New Orleans and other points in the South, has located in Jackson for the general practice of law. His office will be in the Deposit Guaranty Bank Bldg.

SCHOOL BUSES

Applications have been made to the State Board of Education, composed of J. S. Vandiver, State Supt. of Education; Greek L. Rice, Attorney General and Walker Wood, Secretary of State, for approximately three hundred new buses for the public schools of the state. Of this number 237 of the applications have been approved. The new buses are to be all-steel, and will carry from sixty to seventy school children each. They will be equipped with fire extinguisher, first-aid kit, flags, flares, etc. These new buses will provide the best possible protection for the children.

LUMBER SUPPLY REDUCED

Lumber is essential as a war commodity as well as a peace-time necessity, and the government is worried about the reduced supply. It seems that all southern states except Alabama show a decided slump in the amount of lumber for the current year compared to the previous year. Mississippi shows a reduction from approximately two and a half billion feet to about one and three-quarter billion. This should remind our people that reforestation of denuded lands is very necessary for the future prosperity of the state.

JACKSON AIR BASE

The jurisdiction of the Jackson Army Air Base, according to newspaper reports, has been transferred to the Mobile Air Service Command, which covers four southeastern states and is a part of the newly formed Army Air Forces Material and Service Command by Lt. General William Knudson. Major John A. Mahoney, Jr., remains as Commanding Officer of the Base.

CHRISTMAS MAIL

Regulations for sending Christmas mail to the soldiers has been announced by the Postmaster General and any postmaster or rural carrier can tell you all about it. But the rigid regulation on overseas gift mail is that it must be mailed between September 15th and October 15th. It is very essential that packages be securely wrapped and plainly addressed, and mailed before October 15th. Handling of overseas mail this year will be a tremendous job and it is very necessary that there be the fullest co-operation with postal authorities.

SCHOOL MONEY

Quarterly payments of more than two million dollars was sent out last week by the State Board of Education to the schools of the state. At the recent session of the legislature the sum of \$9,787,500 for each of the two years was appropriated for the public schools, this being a per capita of \$5.62 per year.

SCHOOL CONFERENCE

State Supt. Vandiver with P. H. Eason and J. A. Travis attended an educational conference in Chattanooga last week. The conference was of South-wide importance.

NOTED WRITER

Miss Blanche Colton Williams, native of Kosciusko, died in the Baptist Hospital in Jackson last week. Miss

Logtown News

Miss Nettie Holliman was hostess on Monday at a "Cover Dish" party in her home here. Her guests were: Misses Rita Whitfield, Ethel Otis, Mae Jones, Alma Parker; Mesdames Margaret Adams, Norma Lott, Lois Jackson and Mamie Otis of Logtown and Mrs. Gladys Baxter of Bay St. Louis. A most delicious lunch was served at noon and the afternoon was spent playing bridge with Miss Parker as high scorer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Hebert of New Orleans spent Sunday with Mrs. H. Mitchell here. Miss Beryl Jackson accompanied them back to New Orleans and was their guest until Tuesday.

Sgt. Johnnie Kerr, Army, is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Kerr, Sr., in Jackson and here as guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Kerr.

Mrs. Gladys Baxter and two sons of Bay St. Louis are spending a few days in their home here.

Miss Pauline Russ is a patient in Touro Infirmary.

Mr. and Mrs. Delman Wright and daughter were guests of Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. Emily Lott during the week end. On Sunday they had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lott in Pearlington.

Miss Dorothy Arendale of Bay St. Louis spent Sunday with Mrs. C. W. Fountain, Jr., in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Otis.

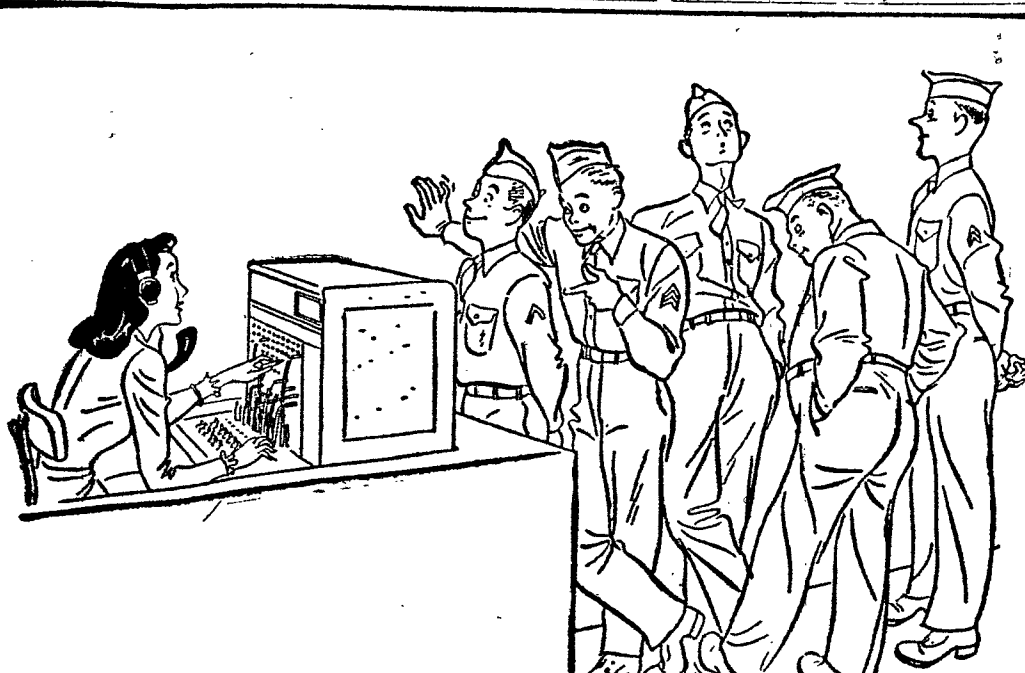
On Saturday evening at 8:00 P. M., Mrs. C. W. Fountain, Jr., was hostess at a lovely shower, given in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Otis, honoring Miss Joyne Marshall, a bride-elect of August 26th. The large porch of the Otis home was beautifully decorated with white flowers and huge vases of American Beauty roses. Miss Marshall wore a becoming pastel pink dress with an orchid corsage. She received the many lovely gifts from a beautiful little girl, Lillian Claire Wright, who was dressed in the uniform of a nurse representing Miss Marshall's profession. The gifts were acknowledged in a most gracious manner.

Mrs. Fountain wore a pretty dress of blue and was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. Lamar Otis and sister, Miss Minnie Otis. Delicious refreshments were served to the large number attending which included several out of town guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Casanova are in receipt of recent news from their son, Elliott, Jr., that he has been promoted to chief electrician, while at sea. He entered training at San Mateo, December 1943, and has been at sea six months.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dawsey received the Purple Heart from their son, Eugene Dawsey, who has been overseas four months and during which time they had not heard from him. Eugene is in the army.

Williams was a writer of national reputation and also well known as an educator. She was head of the English Department of Hunter College in New York but resigned a few years ago to devote herself exclusively to writing. Perhaps her most popular book was a life of "Clara Barton." Others were "Forever Young," a Life of John Keats and "New Narratives," a collection of short stories. She was a graduate of M. S. C. W., and had studied in other well known colleges. Her remains were interred at Kosciusko, where her parents were buried.



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Music fans are in for a real musical treat at the Ortie Theatre, where Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Two Girls and a Sailor," showing Sunday and Monday.

Here is a picture that has everything. It's an outstanding blend of music, comedy and romance that will keep you entertained every minute of the picture's running time.

M-G-M has rounded up a stellar cast, including Van Johnson, June Allyson, Gloria De Haven, Jimmy Durante, Jose Iturbi, Gracie Allen, Lena Horne and Harry James and Xavier Cugat and their bands—to name just a few of the luminaries—and has added the kind of music that's always high up on everyone's personal hit parade. Spiced with just the right amount of romance and comedy, the whole adds up to the best musical film of this or any other season.

June and Gloria play a pair of headline night-club entertainers born and brought up in the theatre. During their engagement at a New York spot, Gloria begins to receive orchids every day from a mysterious "Somebody." As June, anxious for her sister's happiness, tries vainly to discover who the "Somebody" is, Jimmy Durante, in the role of an ex-vaudeville, steps in to aid the girls in their search. Not until the sisters have successfully started a sevicemen's cantine, with the generous aid of the unknown benefactor, do they discover that her mysterious friend is a wealthy and handsome young sailor (played by Van Johnson) who has been enjoying himself at their canteen all along. The romance between Van and Gloria takes a curious turn before

I. D. CLARE

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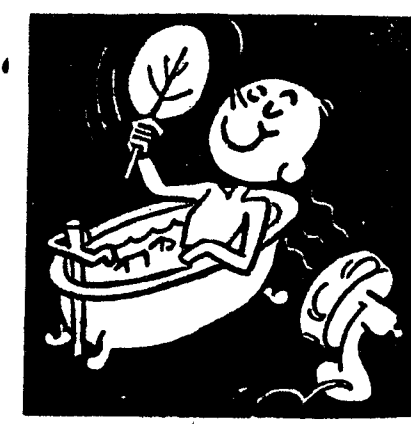


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Van realizes it is June he really loves—and Gloria is happy too when she realizes her heart always has belonged to a soldier boy. But that isn't all, for there are songs by Jimmy, Lena Horne, Carlos Ramirez and Virginia O'Brien, a dance by Ben Blue, piano playing by Iturbi and his sister, Amparo Novarro.

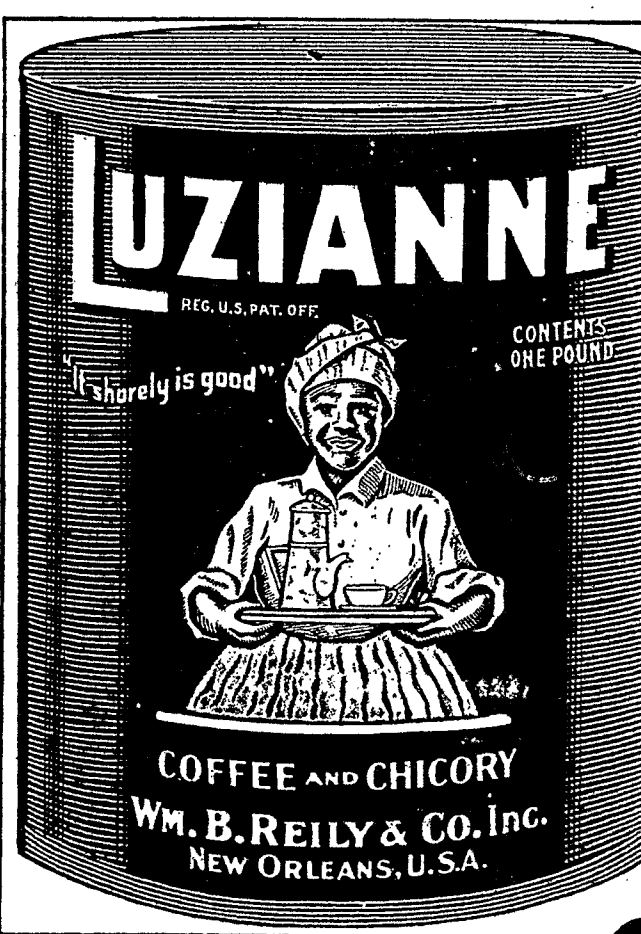
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LETTERS FROM THE BOYS IN SERVICE

From Cmpl. J. V. Bontemps, Jr.,
somewhere in England:

"Dear Mr. Favre:

For some time I've been wanting to write and thank you for your kindness in sending me your fine paper. Although it is a little late getting to me, I enjoy reading it very much, as it keeps me in touch with the events going on at home. This is a very interesting country. Since I've been here I have had the pleasure of visiting London and two or three of the larger cities in England. While in London, I visited Buckingham Palace, West Minister Abbey and the Houses of Parliament. I also saw the changing of the King's Guard, which was very interesting in itself.

I have been hearing from Claude Quintini quite regularly and besides writing to him, I have been sending him the "Echo," which he does not get. I am going to give you his address, and I know he would appreciate your sending him the paper.

Well, Mr. Favre, I must get back to my work now, as I am a Company Clerk and the job keeps me pretty busy. During our "leisure" time in the evenings we take part in softball games between companies in the regiment. I enjoy playing very much even tho' I don't get around as I used to.

It is getting near "chow" time now so I had better close. Give my regards to the family and your staff.

Gratefully yours,
J. V."

From PFC Claude L. Dawsey,
somewhere in the South Pacific:

"Hello, Red:
How's things back in the Bay? Over here it is pretty hot. I want to thank you for your kindness in sending me the paper. It keeps a soldier's morale up to know what is going on back home and to know where all the boys are.

I am in the South Pacific and like

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE OBSTRUCTION BY A RAILROAD COMPANY OF THE STREETS AND HIGHWAYS IN THE CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commission Council of the City of Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi:

SECTION 1: That from and after the passage of this Act, it shall be unlawful for any railroad company to stop any of its trains at a place where such railroad shall cross the streets of the City of Bay Saint Louis so as to obstruct travel upon such streets for a longer period than five minutes.

SECTION 2: Any railroad company violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not to exceed fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each offense; and any conductor in charge of any train so violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable to a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00).

SECTION 3: Public necessity demanding this ordinance shall take effect and be put in force from and after its passage.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF GEORGE KUEPFERLE, DECEASED

Letters of Administration on the Estate of George Kuepfere, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 9th day of August, 1944, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said court, within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This 11th day of August, A. D. 1944.
LOUIS C. KUEPFERLE
Administrator of said Estate.

it fine, although it is different from the U. S. But we have a job to do and can take it.

Please change my address.
Thanking you again, I am,
Sincerely yours,
Claude L. Dawsey."

From Cpl. Harold E. Cospelich, in New Guinea:

"Dear Sir:
Just a few lines to extend to all my friends a hearty greeting from one of the Hancock County boys who has been overseas for more than two years, and wishing I could see each and everyone back home.

It seems that I have been over here long enough to become a citizen, but I'm hoping to be home in the near future, so keep up the good work at home and we will do our part.

I am enclosing my correct address, and would appreciate hearing from some of my friends back home.

I have been getting the paper and I am always glad to receive it, even if it is a little late sometimes.

Give my best regards to all of my friends in Hancock County.

An old Hancock County boy,
Cpl. Harold E. Cospelich.

Mrs. Elizabeth Adams Madison Dies At Age Of 88 Years

Mrs. Elizabeth Adams Madison, 88 years of age, died at the home of her daughter Mrs. H. C. Turner in New Orleans on Friday, August 18. The body was taken to Ocean Springs for burial in the Cedar Rest cemetery where her husband is buried and where she formerly resided. The services of the Baptist church were conducted by Rev. W. S. Allen, pastor of the Bay St. Louis Baptist church of which she was a member.

Mrs. Madison was a native of Mississippi and during the many years that her late husband C. W. Madison was supervisor of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad between Bay St. Louis and New Orleans a position he held until his retirement. After his death six years ago Mrs. Madison moved to New Orleans. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. M. T. Bangard of Bay St. Louis and Mrs. Turner of New Orleans.

She was a splendid Christian character and contributed generously to church activities all of her life. She was a charter member of the Woman's Baptist Union which she and Mrs. W. W. Stockstill organized more than thirty years ago. There are many here who claimed her as a friend and loved her.

The Echo extends sympathy to her daughters.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of William A. Lorenzen, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 21st day of August, 1944, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said court, within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This 21st day of August, A. D. 1944.

MRS. IDA HALL LORENZEN,
Administratrix of the Estate of William A. Lorenzen, Deceased.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

To Nellie Irene Romanoff

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, at rules, on the Second Monday of September, A. D. 1944, to defend the suit No. 4836 in said Court of Gordon C. Romanoff, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 24th day of August, A. D. 1944.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

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Calendar of Events

First Monday—
King's Daughters Circle, Hospital, 10 a. m.
Pere Le Duc Council Knights of Columbus, K. C. Hall, 8:15 p. m.

First Tuesday—
Episcopal Guild—Episcopal Parish House, 10 a. m.

First Tuesday—
S. J. A. Mothers' Club, Convent, 3:30 P. M.

Red Cross Executive Committee—
First Wednesday at 10 A. M. at Courthouse.

Every First Tuesday—
Waveland Kings Daughters Circle.

First Wednesday—
St. Margaret's Daughters, Home of Mrs. G. Y. Blaize, 3 p. m.
Boy Scouts, K. C. Hall, 8 p. m.
Rotary Luncheon, Noon, Hotel Reed.

Woman's Missionary Union, Baptist Church, 3 p. m.

First Thursday—
Woman's Benevolent Association, Girl Scout House, 8 p. m.

First Friday—
Scout Executive Supper—Meeting, Hotel Reed, 6:30 p. m.

First Sunday—Society of Immaculate Conception, 2 p. m.

Second Tuesday—
Central School P-T. A., School Building, 3 p. m.
W. O. W. Cedar Grove Camp, 507, W. O. W. Hall, 7:30 p. m.
Masonic Lodge, F. & A. M., Masonic Temple, 8 p. m.

Second Wednesday—
Rotary Luncheon, Noon, Hotel Reed.

Second Thursday—
Bay-Waveland Garden Club, 3 p. m.
Eastern Star, Masonic Temple, 5:30 P. M.

Third Monday—
Pere Le Duc Council, Knights of Columbus, K. C. Hall, 8:15 p. m.

Third Tuesday—
Woman's Society of Christian Service, 3 p. m.
United Spanish War Veterans, City Hall, 8 p. m.

Every Third Wednesday, 3 P. M.—
Altar Society, Church Our Lady of The Gulf.

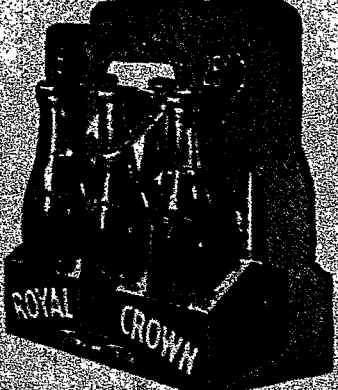
Third Wednesday—
Rotary Luncheon, Noon, Hotel Reed.

Woman's Missionary Union, Baptist Church, 3 p. m.

Fourth Tuesday—
Library Board at Parish House, 9 a. m.
Followed by Book Review, 10 a. m.

Fourth Wednesday—Rotary Luncheon, Noon, Hotel Reed.

Fourth Thursday—
Pine Grove Circle, No. 167, W. O. W. Hall.



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"HOME IN INDIANA" AT A. & G. THEATRE SUNDAY AND MONDAY

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New Kind of Story To
Screen; Brilliant Cast in
Technicolor

"All the thrills of 'Kentucky'!"
"All the magnificence of 'Maryland'!"
"A Simply wonderful picture!"

That's the essence of the unanimous acclaim on 20th Century-Fox's new Technicolor hit, "Home In Indiana," the film is based on the famous Saturday Evening Post serial, "The Phantom Filly," by George Agnew Chamberlain and opening Sunday at the A. & G. Theatre.

Featuring Walter Brennan, Lon McCallister, Jeanne Crain, Charlotte Greenwood, June Haver and an outstanding supporting cast, 20th Century-Fox's monumental trilogy of films (of which "Kentucky" and "Maryland" were the first two) depicting the exciting drama, romance and thrills of one of America's great traditions is brought to a triumphant climax with "Home In Indiana."

As in the previous films, the studio again captured breath-taking beautiful Technicolor realism and full flavor and authenticity only by painstaking research and extensive location trips. The "Home In Indiana" company assembled by Producer Andre Daven, and headed by Director Henry Hathaway, roved over three states—Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio—shooting against the "apple pie" backdrop of actual county fairs, Grand Circuit harness racing and the nation's most picturesque breeding farms.

"Home In Indiana" tells an unusual story of young love set against the background of flashing hoofs, pounding hearts and thrilling moments of Grand Circuit racing.

A three-time Academy Award winner, Brennan, appears as "Thunder Bolt." Film newcomer Jeanne Crain is provided with a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for a "bid to stardom" in the role of "Char" Bruce, while blonde and beautiful June Haver plays her rival for the affections of Sparke.

Charlotte Greenwood chalks up a screen "first" in "Home In Indiana" with her performance as "Penny Bolt."

Mrs. Frances Elvira Hill Schultz Dies Sunday, Aug 20

The funeral of Mrs. Frances Elvira Hill Schultz, wife of the late Louis Joseph Schultz, who died at her home 308 Boardman avenue on Sunday, August 20 at 9:30 a. m. was held on Monday afternoon from the residence of her son Chester Schultz, 301 Leonard avenue.

She was buried with the rites of the Catholic Church and the Rev. William Clark conducted the services at the home, at Our Lady of the Gulf church and at Cedar Rest cemetery where she was interred.

Mrs. Schultz had been in failing health for several years and her condition was aggravated by the accidental drowning of Mr. Schultz two years ago, and her death was not unexpected.

She leaves two daughters Mrs. Joseph Favre of the Edwardsville community, Miss Helen Schultz, Bay St. Louis, four sons, Andrew Schultz, U. S. Army, stationed at Fort George Meade; Stanford Schultz, Alexandria, Louisiana and Chester and Truman Schultz, Bay St. Louis.

Her pallbearers were Messrs. Sherry Adams, Sam Triana, Ed Ortte, Ed Kimmel, William Sick and Christy Netto.

Mrs. Schultz was a fine christian character and living for her church and her home and the many floral offerings attested to the esteem in which she was held.

The Echo joins their friends in extending sympathy to the family at this time of their loss.

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ORTTE THEATRE, WEDNESDAY-THURS. "SWING FEVER"

Kay Kyser, Marilyn Maxwell With Wm. Gargan, Lena Horne, Kyser and His Orchestra—Featuring Harry Babbit—Ish Kabbille

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer has made a tuneful, well-rounded film of Kay Kyser's newest screen effort called "Swing Fever." In the picture, showing Wednesday and Thursday at Ortte Theatre, Kay's band is given ample support from such performers as the blonde, torch-singing Marilyn Maxwell, glamorous Lena Horne, wise-cracking William Gargan, and comic Nat Pendleton.

The film revolves around the adventures of Lowell Blackford, played by Kay. Lowell is a mild-mannered musician who comes to New York to publish a symphonietta he has written. He is given the run-around by the group of prizefight promoters he accidentally falls in with when they learn that Kay possesses a hereditary evil eye which has the power to immobilize its victims.

They plan to get Kay to use his eye on the opponent of their fighter, in order to win the match. To do this they get him a job leading a night-club band and set Marilyn Maxwell as the bait. Things boom when Marilyn falls in love with Kay, which is not according to plan. She tells him the plot, but Kay still loves her and both are happy in the romantic finish.

Sings, Dances and Acts
An added bonus to the picture was last seen as Wallace Beery's daughter in "Salute to the Marines," sings, dances and acts in "Swing Fever" and shows that she is surely destined for screen stardom. Kay Kyser, long familiar to movie and radio audiences, turns in an able comic performance. As the crooked promoter, William Gargan stands out not only as a comedian but as a straight dramatic actor.

An added treat for theatregoers is the presence of Lena Horne singing a hit song as only she can sing it. The Merriell Abbott dancers perform several novelty numbers. Tim Whelan's direction has highlighted the melody of four sparkling tunes and guarantees you to leave the theatre humming. Irving Starr spared no expense in making the production Kyser's best.

Ortte Theater Wed.-Thurs.

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IN M-G-M'S
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Auguste J. Tete, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 14th day of August, 1944, and therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 14th day of August, A. D. 1944.

MRS. LOUISE BEAUREGARD
CHIAPELLA TETE,
Executrix of the Estate of Auguste J. Tete, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Rena Misshore Lewis, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 17th day of August, 1944, and therefore Notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 17th day of August, A. D. 1944.

VERRINA MISSHORE PERKINS
and JOSEPH O. MISSHORE,
Administrators of the Estate of Rena Misshore Lewis, Deceased.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh.

What Made Our Invasion a Success?

With 57 blue stars on our Service Flag, our town's been mighty excited over the way things are progressing on the Continent.

"Shucks," says Bob Newcomb happily, "I know we were going to lick them Nazis, soon as the Invasion started."

"I knew it before that," says Doc Hollister. "I knew it from the way our boys were getting along with their British buddies in those English camps. They had a lot of differences to overcome before they could work together as a team. And they overcame 'em."

From where I sit, Doc's mighty right. The success of our Invasion began months ago—when the English Tommies and the GI Joe's got together over friendly beer, and games of darts—and learned to like each other in spite of differences in tastes and habits.

And that spirit of tolerance and understanding between men and nations will go far towards building a secure Peace, too.

Joe Marsh

DELINQUENT REALTY TAX ROLL

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Notice is hereby given that I will on Monday, September 18, A. D. 1944, offer for sale at the front door of the Courthouse of Hancock, Mississippi, in the City of Bay St. Louis, within legal hours, at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following lands, delinquent for the State, General County Fund, Bond Funds, Road Protection Fund, School Fund, Consolidated School Funds, Forestry Fund, Bridge Fund and Road and Bridge Fund Taxes due thereon for the year 1943, or so much thereof as will be necessary to settle said taxes and costs, to-wit:

NAME	DESCRIPTION	Acres	S	E	N	E	R	State and County Taxes	Total All Costs
E. T. Gunlach, SW 1/4 of SW 1/4		40	9	5	14	4.16	6.89		
E. T. Gunlach, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4		40	10	5	14	4.44	7.25		
E. T. Gunlach, SW 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	14	5	14	3.61	6.21		
E. T. Gunlach, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4		40	14	5	14	3.61	6.21		
E. T. Gunlach, SE 1/4 of NE 1/4		40	23	5	14	3.61	6.21		
E. T. Gunlach, SW 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	23	5	14	3.61	6.21		
E. T. Gunlach, NW 1/4 of SE 1/4		40	23	5	14	3.61	6.21		
E. T. Gunlach, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	24	5	14	3.61	6.21		
Colbert Smith, E 1/2 Acres of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4		20	24	5	14	2.22	4.05		
E-3-348		5	25	5	14	2.50	4.06		
Theodore Moran Part of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 E-7-330		250	11	6	14	1.39	3.01		
Ulmann Lader, Part SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-3-410		450	14	6	14	4.72	9.06		
Agnos Dora, Mrs. Ambrose Necaise, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-9-16		10	22	6	14	2.38	5.94		
N. J. Lader, N 1/2 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 F-8-190		20	23	6	14	3.61	7.48		
E. T. Gunlach, W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4		20	29	6	14	1.94	4.63		
E. T. Gunlach, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	32	6	14	4.44	8.11		
E. T. Gunlach, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	32	6	14	4.44	8.11		
E. T. Gunlach, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4		40	33	6	14	3.61	7.93		
E. T. Gunlach, NW 1/4 of SE 1/4		40	33	6	14	3.61	7.93		
E. T. Gunlach, SW 1/4 of SW 1/4		40	1	7	14	3.61	7.93		
E. T. Gunlach, SW 1/4 of SW 1/4		40	1	7	14	3.61	7.93		
Jessie Wiley, Part NE 1/4 of NE 1/4		16	9	7	14	1.67	4.07		
Victor Moran Est., SW 1/4 of SE 1/4		40	11	7	14	4.20	10.03		
Victor S. Moran Est., NE 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	11	7	14	1.82	5.35		
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Victor S. Moran Est., NE 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	14	7	14	1.82	5.35		
Wesley Garriga, Part NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-4-158		22	50	15	7	8.88	14.08		
Wesley Garriga, Part NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 F-5-283		150	15	7	14	2.9	1.30		
Joe Davis, Jr., Part SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 and Part SE 1/4 of NW 1/4		850	19	7	14	1.11	3.47		
Alex Thompson et ux, SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 lying East of Poplarville and Kilm Road									
E-4-308-E-7-9		27	50	19	7	14	3.05	5.82	
A. J. McLeod Est., NE 1/4 of NE 1/4		40	20	7	14	3.61	6.89		
Russ Frederick, Part NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 F-7-590		30	7	14	14	5.6	1.77		
Lulu McMillan, Part N 1/2 of NW 1/4 C-5-589		31	30	7	14	3.33	5.65		
Bedford Young, Jr., Part SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 D-3-627		60	7	14	14	4.44	7.35		
B. Courge Est., Part SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 C-5-529		25	30	7	14	2.8	1.27		
John A. Haas, SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 a strip									
W. Side D-9-67		2	30	7	14	2.8	1.30		
Mrs. A. Coleman Beranger, Part Lot 3, J B Necaise Claim F-4-446		40	37	7	14	7.77	12.91		
Mrs. A. Coleman Beranger, Part Lot 4, J. B. Necaise Claim F-4-446		30	37	7	14	4.72	8.29		
Mrs. A. Coleman Beranger, Part Lot 5, J. B. Necaise Claim F-4-446		290	37	7	14	5.6	1.72		
M. J. Bernos, Part W 1/4 of Charlie Faves Claim		32	41	7	14	13.16	20.23		
Elmer P. Lader, S 1/2 of Lot 4 F-6-425		41	24	8	14	4.16	7.72		
Leonora M. Lader, N 1/2 of Lot 4 E-5-386		40	11	8	14	4.44	8.11		
J. Roland Weston, Part Pierre Carco Claim									
W. of Bay-Kilm Road F-7-343		122	19	8	14	16.65	27.44		
F. A. Bienvenue Est., Part J. Bouquie Claim U-204		4	25	26	8	14	1.39	2.54	
Miss Naze Fosseman, Part J. Bouquie Claim E-7-509		12	70	25	26	8	4.16	5.90	
Frank James Langenbacher, Part S 1/2 of Lot 5, 25 34 8		14	2.22	3.43					
A. Battistella, Est., Part Melitte Lassasier Claim D-4-438		2	38	8	14	5.6	1.48		
C. J. Praetorius et al., Part J. B. Ladose Claim D-8-106		10	37	42	8	14	3.33	4.60	
Grace M. Evans, Part SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-4-63		1	3	9	14	3.33	4.39		
Warren John Thibault, Part SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-9-273		90	3	9	14	5.6	1.48		
W. C. Focklemann, Part NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-3-216		311	4	9	14	5.6	1.50		
Indiana Antoine Carr, Part NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-9-552									
Edward Bros., Part NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 D-5-181		950	8	9	14	2.50	3.95		
M. H. Pichens, Part Lot 4, Div. of C. Colly Est D-9-570		124	9	14	28	1.22			
O. O. Kennedy, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of SE 1/4		10	4	15	4.44	7.37			
Mrs. G. M. Smith, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of SE 1/4		10	4	15	1.11	2.65			
E. T. Gunlach, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	28	15	4.44	8.08			
E. T. Gunlach, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	28	15	4.44	8.08			
E. T. Gunlach, SW 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	28	15	4.44	8.08			
E. T. Gunlach, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4		40	28	15	4.44	8.08			
Ex Spiers, EO-243		34	7	6	15	7.14	8.96		
W. F. Farmer, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 F-4-248		40	9	6	15	21.37	27.40		
A. M. Roy Skinner, Part SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 E-2-618		26	9	6	15	12.49	16.41		
H. H. Lawler, NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-1		40	23	15	4.44	7.06			
H. H. Lawler, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-1		40	23	15	4.44	7.06			
H. H. Lawler, SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-7-541		40	23	15	33.86	42.03			
H. H. Lawler, SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 ex T. Dossett F-7-541		35	22	6	15	3.61	5.98		
J. Roland Weston, NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-7-371		40	23	6	15	3.61	6.08		
J. Roland Weston, SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-7-371		40	23	6	15	3.61	6.08		
H. H. Lawler, SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 F-7-541		40	26	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-7-541		40	26	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-7-541		40	26	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 F-7-541		40	26	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, NE 1/4 of NE 1/4		40	27	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, NW 1/4 of NE 1/4		40	27	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-7-541-2		40	27	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-7-541-2		40	27	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-495		40	27	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-495		40	27	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 F-8-495		40	27	6	15	4.44	7.06		
H. H. Lawler, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 F-8-495		40	27	6	15	4.44	7.06		
Thomas J. Newkirk, Part NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-8-240		206	4	7	15	1.4	1.05		
Forrest Necaise, N 1/2 of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4									
Ex D. Necaise E-2-275		10	12	7	15	1.54	3.25		
Arthur M. Wilkenson, SW 1/4 of NE 1/4		40	14	7	15	3.61	6.89		
Oliver Young et al., Part NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 E-3-54		2	23	7	15	2.8	1.30		
Nolas Necaise, Est., Part SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 C-7-382		112	25	7	15	3.61	6.06		
John A. Haas, Part SE 1/4 of SE 1/4									
N. of Bayou X-4-39		24	25	7	15	6.66	10.90		
C. A. Lamo, NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-583		40	27	7	15	4.44	8.11		
C. A. Lamo, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-581		40	27	7	15	4.44	8.11		
C. A. Lamo, SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-581		40	27	7	15	4.44	8.11		
C. A. Lamo, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-581		40	27	7	15	4.44	8.11		
Hanum Gardner, NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-7-381		40	1	9	15	3.61	6.01		
Hanum Gardner, SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-7-381-2		40	1	9	15	3.61	6.01		
Mrs. Edmond J. Collins, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 F-5-281		40	12	9	15	4.16	6.66		
Victor Carco, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 F-7-457		40	12	9	15	4.16	6.66		
Victor Carco, SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 F-7-457		40	12	9	15	4.16	6.66		
James P. Mulvey, Part NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-4-513		781	13	9	15	6.16	11.93		
Floyd W. Yarbrough, Part NE 1/4 of NE 1/4		250	13	9	15	5.6	1.56		
Raymond Lafontaine, Jr., Part NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 F-8-322		113	9	15	2.8	1.22			
Mae Gengaring Lader, N 1/2 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4		20	21	9	15	2.22	3.93		
Oliver Young et al., Part NE 1/4 of SE 1/4									
Bayou F-6-226		16	22	9	15	1.39	2.85		
R. R. Sippel, E 1/2 of NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 F-1-73		30	22	6	15	5.27	7.96		
R. R. Sippel, W 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 F-1-73		30	22	6	15	5.00	6.75		
Lamar Lee, NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 F-2-262		4	32	8	16	5.6	1.61		
J. D. Lee, Part of Lot 3 C-4-040		4	32	8	16	5.6	1.61		
Peter Treichel et ux, Part of Lot 3 F-2-262		4	32	8	16	12.77	17.13		
Peter Treichel et ux, Part of Lot 3 F-2-262		4	32	8	16	12.77	17.13		
Peter Treichel et ux, Part of Lot 3 F-2-262		4	32	8	16	12.77	17.13		
Mrs. Audrey Carver, Part NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 D-6-502		10	3	16	1.11	2.45			
Anne Sinclair Brown, Part NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-212		14	3	9	16	1.66	3.22		
Anne Sinclair Brown, Part NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-212		50	9	16	2.8	1.22			
Anne Sinclair Brown, Part NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 F-8-212		2	3	9	16	2.8	1.22		
J. D. Lee, Part Matwin Bahine Claim C-9-580		5	5	9	16	3.05	4.71		
Amos K. Weston Est., Part Jos. Chalona Claim F-4-292		230	6	9	15	4.55	6.74		
Clarence Lyman, Part Jos. Chalona Claim F-4-292		5	16	9	16	5.6	1.67		
Angeline C. Fave, Part Lot 4 F-5-77		1150	16	9	16	1.24			
J. Roland Weston, Part Lot 4 E-8-168		37	16	9	16	1.94	4.07		
J. Roland Weston, Part Lot 5 F-1-510		40	16	9	16	2.50	4.81		
Edmer Williams et al., Part Lots 1 & 2		175	21	9	16	3.92	6.66		
H. W. Wilkinson, S 1/2 of Lot 3		39	92	11	10	4.16	6.66		
H. W. Wilkinson, S 1/2 of Lot 3		26	45	11	10	2.78	4.72		

Maggie Allen, Part S 1/2 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 D-7-446
E. J. Frierson, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 ex Lou Fleming 20 12 7 17 2.22 4.05
Frank H. Martin, Part Lots 3 & 4 F-1-34 - F-2-500 13 24 7 17 1.39 2.87
St. Joe Brick Works Inc., Part Lots 3 & 6 F-2-202 2 24 7 17 .56 1.58
C. J. Sporn, Part Lots 6 & 7 E-8-219 250 24 7 17 .83 1.94
Mrs. P. J. Morney, Part Lot 6, Div. A. H. Hursey Est., R 486 4 89 9 16 7.77 10.56

ANSLEY
August Boise, 18 to 21 inc. Block 20 28 2.05
Louis R. Fuhr, 36, 37, 38 U-440 Block 141 28 2.90
W. W. Driver, 30 Block 144 .06 .85
John L. Valentine, 5, 6, 13, 14 Block 154 28 3.75

EAST ANSLEY
Mrs. P. J. Morney, 6 & 23 Block 163 28 2.05
W. M. Favre, 7 Block 185 28 1.20

PEARLINGTON
Ellenora Jackson, 10, S 1/2 of lot 9 E-5-26 Blk. 6 28 2.06
Mills Richardson, 2 & 3 F-4-325 Block 23 56 2.42
Floyd Thompson, 10, Block 37 4.16 6.06
Jane Hall Est., 1, 2, 8, 9, 10 Block 0 1.39 6.01
Harry Hall Est., 1, 2, 8, 9, 10 Block 0 5.55 7.81

PEARLINGTON-FAVRE'S ADD. 2ND
Amanda Beyer, 4, 5 Block 11 .56 2.40
Mrs. Amanda Beyer, 1, 2 Block 23 5.17 8.28

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Sellers News

Petty Officer Troy Smith is home on leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith. Troy is stationed in South Carolina.

Miss Johnnie Mae Anderson spent the week end at home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Olan Anderson. Johnnie is in training in the Touro Infirmary in New Orleans for Cadet Nursing.

Mr. Claborn Harriet and son of

Kentwood, La., spent the week end at their country home in Sellers.

Mrs. Robert Stewart and children spent the week end with her mother Mrs. Calvin Shaw.

Miss Helen Necaise and Emma Jean Ladner spent the week end in Dubuissou.

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Aaron Academy

Our Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Jimmie Carbonette, Mrs. Eleanor Davis in charge. Recreation was the subject. Mrs. Davis had several inexpensive and home made games that could be used in any home. All enjoyed the games and refreshments of cake and lemonade were served.

A group of ladies met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Isaac Frierson for the purpose of organizing a unit to roll bandages for our service men. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gex and Mrs. Leo Ford gave the instructions and required information. This important work needs the attention and help that we all can give.

Mr. James Burroughs, Sr., of Pascagoula has been visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frierson have been visiting in Pascagoula this past week.

Mrs. George Stewart has been brought home from Baptist Hospital. She is improving.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Louis Thigpen for the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell and son Eddie and Mr. Roland Etene all of New Orleans.

Mrs. Waldo Cox and children, Mrs. Burbert Ross and daughter have been spending a few days with their mother, Mrs. Archie Frierson. They were called home on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Cox's husband who became ill Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Ard, Mr. Johnston with three of Mrs. Ard's nieces spent the week end on their farm. Two of the girls are spending this week with Mrs. Gus Frierson.

Pvt. William Simon Mitchell has received another citation. He has previously been cited and awarded the Purple Heart in Africa. We are indeed proud of the records our boys are making.

Catahoula News

Miss Beatrice Dossett spent several days this week with her uncle, Mr. Thomas McCarty of Picayune, Miss.

Mrs. Leander Bounds underwent an operation for appendicitis at Poplarville Hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Joseph Cuevas visited Mrs. Randolph Seal Sunday.

Several people from here visited relatives in the Poplarville hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Seal Sunday.

We are sorry to report the illness of little Ray Seal. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Catahoula school opened Friday with the largest enrollment in three years. We wish for the teachers and students a very happy and successful term.

Mrs. B. P. Williams visited Mrs. Jimmie Bedwell Sunday.

Everyone wishes for Mrs. S. W. Bounds a speedy recovery.

ORTTE'S THEATRE

Friday

TOM NEAL
JEANNE EATES in
"RACKET MAN"
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Saturday

TWO BIG FEATURES
GEORGE SANDERS
HERBERT MARSHALL in
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2ND FEATURE
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Tuesday

"U-BOAT PRISONER"
with **BRUCE BENNETT**
ERICK BLORE
Plus Comedy—"Gray Like A Fox"
Latest News

Wednesday-Thursday

KAY KYSER
MARILYN MAXWELL in
"SWING FEVER"
with **NAT PENDLETON**
LENA HORNE and
KAY KYSER and **HIS ORCHESTRA**
Featuring **Harry Babbitt—Jeb Kabbitt**
Latest News—Short

Waveland News

News of Elwood Bourgeois
Through the untiring efforts of Mrs. Louis Maumus, Executive Secretary, Hancock County American Red Cross, came news from the War Department as to the location of Elwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bourgeois. For a period of about 18 months word had not been received and every effort employed to locate his whereabouts, without avail. Last week news came to his family and wife the former Isabel Asher that he was with the 7th Division. The 7th member of this family will leave shortly to enter the Navy.

It's nice to have the Damiens family with us again. Having been away most of the summer and just returned from parts of Texas. The children will resume their studies in Waveland school.

Appointments for Waveland School for the 1944-45 session are:

Miss Mary Perkins, Principal, 7th and 8th Grades.
Miss Margaret Zimmerman, 5th and 6th Grades.
Mrs. Herman Mazarakis, 3rd and 4th Grades.
Mrs. Edwin Wyatt, Primary Grade.
Mrs. Marie Weber, music dept.

Take your waste paper to the old warehouse formerly occupied by W. A. McDonald and Sons near the baseball park, Bookter street, Bay St. Louis. Pack and tie in bundles placing same on the warehouse shed. Do it to day—our boys need it for the march on Berlin.

Mrs. Lee Bourgeois with son Lealand and daughter Brenda are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bourgeois.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Condon's home on Waveland Avenue, is nearing completion. They plan to occupy it in the early fall. Mrs. Condon spent the day in New Orleans, Monday.

Mrs. Garfield Ladner celebrated her birthday at her home surrounded by members of her family. Many nice gifts were showered on her for the happy occasion.

Raffles on various articles for the benefit of St. Clare's fair are as follows—stating the lucky numbers: Picture No. 590, spread No. 35; vanity No. 101; Baby Set No. 151. Mrs. E. C. Carrere, chairman, thanks her committees of the various booths who worked so earnestly and also to everyone who took part in any way. The foundation for the rectory has been started and all debris of the recent fire has been cleared.

Mr. and Mrs. Vital Bourgeois had as their guest on Wednesday and Thursday their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. George Moore of New Orleans. Mrs. Moore before her marriage was Miss Edith Ladner.

Mrs. A. Jenkins with Bobby and Anne accompanied by Audrey Bourgeois spent Monday in New Orleans. Bobby and Anne will enter St. Joseph Academy for the term of 1944-45.

New families are still coming and locating in and about town, with children to attend schools here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kingston, the former Thelma Bourgeois of Waveland, a baby girl, at Kings Daughters Hospital, Bay St. Louis on Aug. 19, weighing 8 lbs. 6 1/2 ounces. Both are doing nicely.

Gainesville News

A home-coming day was observed Sunday, August 20 in honor of the Jones family. There were about 75 present. The dinner was delicious. Music and sacred songs followed in the afternoon. It was a very happy day.

Albert Miller is visiting his mother this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson T. Miller and son Teddy visited Mr. Miller's mother last week.

Mrs. Talman Jones is visiting Mrs. Stanley Strahan this week.

Mrs. Tommie Patch and Gladys have returned home after spending a week in Anguilla.

Miss Hazel Mars and Miss Gussie Davis spent last week with Mrs. Gus Davis.

We wish to express our deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dawsey in the loss of their son, Claud.

Pvt. Walter Davis has returned to S. C. after spending a few days leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Gus Davis.

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2ND. LT. WM. A. McQUEEN JR.

Frederick Army Air Field, Okla.—William A. McQueen, Jr., of Route No. 1, Picayune, Miss., has joined the world's most powerful air force as a bomber pilot. On August 4th he received his Army Air Forces silver wings and commission as 2nd Lieutenant in the impressive graduation ceremony of this twin-engine advanced school of the Central Flying Training Command.

To Lt. McQueen graduation meant the terminus of ten months of the world's most thorough military flight training, and the realization that, fledgling airman no longer, he may now become an integral part of the Allied forces seeking to liberate an enslaved world. As a qualified big ship pilot his war role will become an ever-increasing important one in the historic events still to occur.

Kiln News

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curet, Sr., have received word from the war department stating that the Japanese Government has acknowledged that their son Fred Jr., is a Japanese prisoner. Also with this was a radiogram from Freddie, Jr., signed in his own handwriting. Freddie was on Corregidor and Bataan with General McArthur and was reported missing in action when General Wainwright was captured.

Pvt. Gene Favre son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Favre, Sr., is spending a ten day furlough at home. Gene is a paratrooper and is presently stationed at Fort Benning, Ga.

School opened last Friday for the 1944-45 session with Clarence Ladner as superintendent. All members of the faculty for this term are present.

Mr. A. B. Curet of New Roads, La., spent several days recently with his mother, Mrs. Delphine Curet.

Mrs. Corellus Favre has just returned from Lucien, Miss., where she visited her mother and sister.

Miss Doris Necaise and Ruby Jordy of New Orleans are visiting their grandmother Mrs. Ernestine Jonnston.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Necaise are son Billy of Charleston, S. C., and also their niece are visiting friends and relatives in Kiln.

Dr. and Mrs. P. D. Necaise and sons Keith and Don of Foxworth, Miss., spent the week end in Kiln.

R. H. Bills is spending a furlough with his family at Picayune. Last week a daughter was born to them and was given the name of Lynn. R. H. is now stationed at Camp Peary, Va.

At the battle of Saipan Russell Necaise met his brother Michel Necaise, Jr. Russell is in the Marines and Michel is in the Air Corps.

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Saturday, 26
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WALTER BRENNAN, JEAN CRAIN, CHARLOTTE GREEN-WOOD & WARD BOND in
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Tuesday, 29
EVELYN KEYS & TOM NEAL in
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And Short Subjects

Wednesday, 30
ANN HARDING, EVELYN KEYS & JINX FALKENBURG in
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Leetown News

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lee visited Mr. and Mrs. George Jones last week.

Mr. Robert Ferguson and Miss Lucena Smith underwent an appendicitis operation in the Poplarville Hospital last week and are doing nicely.

Chief Tom Yung Chung spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Smith.

Elders Woodrow Lee and Woodrow Spiers attended church services near Yazoo City last week end.

Miss Clara Faye Lee visited the Poplarville Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith of Hattiesburg are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bilbo of Jackson, Miss., are spending a vacation with the former's parents.

Mrs. George Jones and daughter, Edna, are visiting relatives here this week.

School opened Friday with Mr. E. E. Breland and Mrs. S. P. Powell as teachers. We hope this will be a successful school year.

We are glad to report that Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lee heard from their son J. V. Lee, S. 1st Coast Guard, who has returned from a trip across the Atlantic.

Miss Joyce Lee of New Orleans spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee.

Miss Marilyn Wilson is home for a few weeks before returning to P. R. C.

Otto Rester has purchased the Grady Welburn herd of cattle and added to his dairy.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Necaise vis-

ited Mr. and Mrs. D. Necaise of Picayune Sunday.

Mr. Virgil Lee has moved back to their home so the children can attend school after spending the summer on the coast.

Flat Top News

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kamm returned to New York this week after a three weeks' visit here with Mrs. Kamm's parents Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Knight.

Miss Oma Joyce Miller from Pearl River Junior College spent last week end at home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller.

Mrs. Clyde Foster and son, Tommy, returned home last week from a two weeks' visit in Peoria, Ill. with Mr. Foster's relatives.

Mrs. Milton Vaughn visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Forest Wheat. Mrs. Wheat has been a patient in Baptist Hospital, but was able to return home last week.

Mrs. Rebecca Foster from Angie, La., has been on a week's vacation here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Wheat spent Sunday in Pearlton with Mrs. Wheat's parents Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Mitchell have recently moved to Mrs. Letia Mitchell's house. Mrs. Mitchell has purchased her a home and moved to Roseland Park.

Friends of Mr. Felton Whitfield regret to learn that he has been carried back to Touro Infirmary for another operation. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Lewis Mitchell spent last week in Pearl River, La., with her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Hub Pittman. Mr. Pittman was a patient in Hotel Dieu but was able to return home a few days ago.

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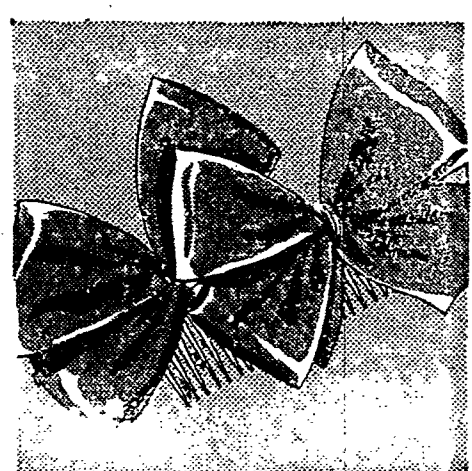
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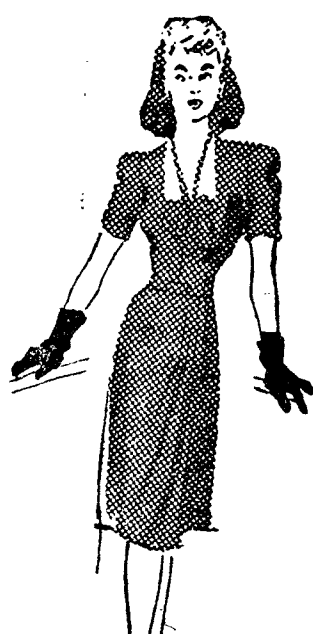
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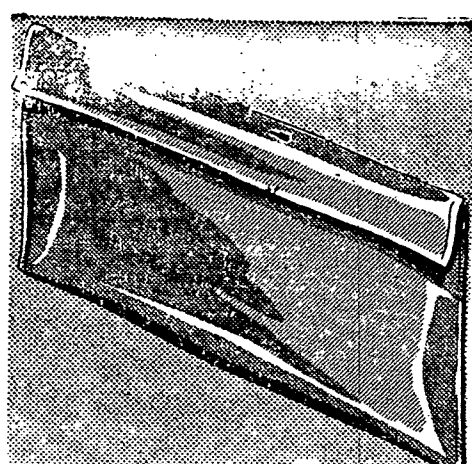


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City Echoes

—Delicious Downy Flake Doughnuts at Scharff's.

—Miss Irma Tudury spent the past week end at Jackson visiting friends.

—Mrs. Jesse Gray and Miss Ruth Gray spent Wednesday in New Orleans.

—Mrs. Carl Smith is visiting her sister Mrs. L. H. Dupont at Houma, La.

—Miss Gloria Biehl is visiting in New Orleans as the guest of Mrs. George Haro.

—Mr. L. H. Dinkelstein of New Orleans is a visitor at the home of Mayor and Mrs. G. Y. Blaize.

—Miss George Lapman of Opelousas, La., is the house guest of Miss Carmelite Spotorno.

—Miss Verda Brown of Alexandria, La., is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Glover.

—J. C. Strong of New Orleans spent a few days here with his mother, Mrs. Charles Strong.

—Miss Lydia Adams, assistant at the Ramsey Shop is spending a two-week vacation in Little Rock, Ark.

—Mrs. John A. Green, Jr., and daughter Mary Jane Green have returned from a week's visit to New Orleans.

—Miss Jane Wolfe has returned from Bogalusa where she spent a week as the guest of her cousins Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Howell.

—Mrs. James Collier and little sons of Mobile are visiting Mrs. Collier's parents Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan Fayard.

—Mrs. A. A. Kergosien is ill at her home in Carroll avenue. Her many friends are wishing for her an early recovery.

—Mrs. Catherine Moise of New Orleans spent last week end here as the guest of Miss Mary Frances Seafide.

—S. M. Meyer, Jr., and son Paul are guests here of Mr. Meyer's mother Mrs. S. M. Meyer at her home in St. Charles street.

—Misses Levia and Miriam Engman spent Tuesday in New Orleans.

—Sister Mary Joseph, of Baton Rouge, left this week after a short stay as a guest of St. Joseph Academy.

—Mrs. C. R. Saucier and little son have returned from a visit to Gulfport and Mrs. Saucier is again with her mother Mrs. H. B. Randolph.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Smith of Florida spent several days here as the guest of Mrs. Smith's brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Franklin and little son Dean, of Birmingham have taken an apartment with Mr. and Mrs. George Stevenson. Mr. Franklin is stationed at the M. M. Cadet School.

—Joseph Rudolph, known to his friends as "Son" was taken to the Veterans Facility at Biloxi on Wednesday. His friends hope he will soon be well and out.

—Misses Julie and Joan Elliott are spending a few days in New Orleans as guests of their uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. J. Hartman Thompson.

—Mrs. Donald Platon of New York City was a guest of Mrs. George R. Rea here this week. Lieutenant Platon, Army is at Baton Rouge where Mrs. Platon will join him.

—Betty Ann Fuchik who underwent an appendectomy at the Kings Daughters Hospital last week has been dismissed from the hospital and is recuperating at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jaubert Fuchik.

—Misses Natoma and Gwendolyn Stroup have returned to Ripley after spending the summer here with their mother, Mrs. Anne Stroup. Mrs. Stroup is head of the Home Economics, Bay High.

—The many friends of Mrs. C. E. Craft, superintendent of the Kings Daughters Hospital are rejoicing over her improvement of her recent tendency illness. Though not able to be out she is much improved and is able to see her friends when they call. Her friends hope she will continue to improve and will soon be out.

—Doughnuts 25c dozen until Sept. 1st at Scharff's.

—Watch the doughnuts being made at Scharff's.

—David Glover, U. S. Coast Guard stationed at Algiers spent a short leave here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Glover.

—Billy Chapman who has been with the Chapman Flying School in New Orleans left last week for Hawaii where he will accept a like position.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Terrett and children Jan and Judy of New Orleans spent Sunday here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Delcuze. Jan remained over for a longer visit with the Delcuzes.

—Mrs. R. A. Abert, night nurse at the Kings Daughters Hospital underwent an appendectomy at the hospital last week. She is doing nicely and it is hoped she will soon be back at her post.

—Mrs. Reginald Blaize and young son Reginald N. Blaize, III, have returned to Houston, Texas, after spending several weeks here as guests of Mr. Blaize's mother and sisters.

—Mrs. Collier takes this medium of expressing her appreciation to Mr. N. M. Dick and to Herman, the porter, for the return of her purse which she laid down in the waiting room of the L. N. depot here and forgot it.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Younger of New Orleans, announce the birth of a son, Bernard Joseph Younger, on Sunday, August 13. This is the second son born to this young couple. Mrs. Younger is the former Miss Lottie May Heitzman.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fagan and children of New Orleans, spent the past week here as guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith. Among the many social affairs given for them was a dinner at the country home of the Dupaquiers and a luncheon with Mrs. Leo Seal as hostess.

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RETURN AFTER EXTENSIVE TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Delcuze have returned from an extensive trip thru several states visiting their children and other relatives at Norfolk, Virginia. They visited their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Paul Delcuze, at Tampa, Florida and were guests of their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Spayde. Paul T. Spayde, Jr., Navy V-12 and Miss Virginia Spayde, from Florida they went to Texarkana, Tex., where they visited their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Delcuze and their son and daughter, Marvin Andrew and Nan. At Greenville, Mississippi, they visited their son Godfrey Delcuze and his wife and their four sons; from there they went to Shreveport to visit Mr. Delcuze's sisters Mrs. T. L. Douglas and Mrs. S. C. Moore and family. Mr. and Mrs. Delcuze report a wonderful trip but they are glad to be back to the coast.

ENTERTAINS WITH DANCE HONORING DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Betzer entertained on Saturday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith at a dance honoring their daughter, Carol Ann on the occasion of her eleventh birthday.

The girls were a picture of youth and loveliness in their floor length dance frocks.

There was a large heart-shaped birthday cake which Carol Ann cut and served with an ice.

Many lovely gifts were presented to the honoree.

The guests were Margaret Boh, Rita Boh, Nannette Arceneaux, Mary Jane Green, Karen Kergosien, Brenda Busch, Diane Busch, Billy and Norvin Fagan, New Orleans; Leland Speed, Jr., Jackson; Gary and Jimmie Gilmore, Hartwell Gex, Lucien M. Gex, Jr., Phil Kergosien and Bobby Boh.

Many more happy birthdays, Carol Ann.

GUESTS AT HOTEL REED

Guests registered at Hotel Reed from New Orleans are Mr. and Mrs. J. H. de la Vergne and little daughter Clara; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Pincoff and family, Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Gaston, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fisher and little son, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Leclaire, their daughter Irene, and Mrs. Leclaire's mother Mrs. O. W. Steeds, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Simon, Mrs. E. E. Martin and her mother, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Bennett. Also at the Hotel Reed are Captain G. Steves and Captain C. Kramer of the Royal Netherlands Steamship Company.

WEDDING OF INTEREST

Dr. William Fitzgerald, formerly stationed at the M. M. Cadet School at Henderson Point and Miss Beatrice Peiffer of Philadelphia, were married Saturday, August 19 in the Rectory of St. Ann's church in San Francisco.

Miss Bennett Dodson wife of the former Commander of the school was matron of honor and Lt. Stover formerly of Bay St. Louis was best man.

The couple will make their home in San Francisco where Dr. Fitzgerald is now stationed.

This wedding is of much interest to the people of Bay St. Louis where Dr. Fitzgerald made many friends and the Echo extends congratulations to the couple and best wishes for a long and happy life.

—Real cake doughnuts at Scharff's.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips announce the birth of a daughter at the Baptist Hospital in New Orleans. Mrs. Phillips is the former Miss Catherine Aiken and this is the first grandchild of Rev. and Mrs. Warwick Aiken.

—Gary and James Gilmore and Hartwell Gex have returned from a week's visit to Gary and James' uncle Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Taylor at Jackson. They were accompanied home by Leland Speed, Jr., who is visiting the Gilmores.

—Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Porter entertained a small group aboard their yacht on Thursday evening for a ride and shrimp supper. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parham of Oak Ridge, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cox, Miss Ann Weston and Edward Porter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fuchik, Jr., and family were guests here last week of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Dick. The Dicks also have as their guest Mr. Dick's mother Mrs. Eugene Dick of Ocean Springs. Miss Doris Dick of Ocean Springs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dick.

—Mrs. L. K. McIntosh has arrived from Harrisburg, Penn., and is with her mother Mrs. Gladys Chapman. Captain McIntosh, Army, has gone overseas. Enroute to Bay St. Louis Mrs. McIntosh stopped in Boston for a visit to her husband's parents Captain K. C. McIntosh, Navy, and Mrs. McIntosh.

—After a delightful trip to New York and other points of interest, Mrs. E. B. Richardson, Miss Rose Richardson, Mrs. Horatio Favre and little daughter, Patricia Ann Favre, returned home on Monday. These ladies were the guests of relatives and friends while East.

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The date of the wedding has not been announced but it will culminate a close friendship of many years. This announcement will cause much interest both here and in Indiana where these young people are well known.

—Jack Wolfe, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Townsend Wolfe, Bay St. Louis of Bay High Class '44, has entered the Navy and is awaiting call.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Stevens, Sr., of New Orleans were recent visitors here to their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. James Stevens.

—Geraldine Martin, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Martin of St. John street underwent an operation for appendicitis on Monday at Baptist Hospital, New Orleans.

—Roland Lafontaine, Navy, is in a hospital at San Diego for eye treatment. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lafontaine and is a graduate of Bay High in the class of '44.

—Miss Mary Weingerter who has been ill for the past two weeks is reported better. Miss Weingerter's many friends are glad to know that she is improving and hope to see her out soon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Evans have returned to their home in Houston, Texas after a week spent here with Mrs. Evans' sister Mrs. E. J. Lacoste and Miss Evelyn Lacoste.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robert Reindl, 104 Bay View Court, have as their guest this week Mrs. Reindl's sister, Miss Ferris Parker Seely, of St. Louis. Miss Seely is secretary to Mr. E. Lansing Ray, publisher of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

—Mrs. T. T. Robin left Tuesday night for Houma, La., to be with her mother Mrs. J. C. Corbin. Mrs. Robin's niece Charlene Corbin underwent a tonsilectomy at the hospital there.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ira C. Dimmick and two sons of Lake Charles, La., spent Thursday and Friday here as guests of Mrs. Dimmick's brother and sister-in-law Dr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Evans. They left Saturday morning for Camp Shelby to visit their son, Warrant Officer Ira Clinton Dimmick.

—Humbert Spotorno and two daughters Emily Ann and Mary Frances of Marksville, La., spent last week here as guests of the Misses Eugenie and Carmelite Spotorno and L. N. C. Spotorno. They were accompanied home by Miss Eugenie Spotorno who will spend two weeks in Marksville.

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CROPS

Despite drought damage, the aggregate crop production this year seems to slightly exceed last year's output by two or three per cent and to exceed production in any previous year except the record 1943 season, according to the Dept. of Agriculture.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness in the illness and death of our dear mother and daughter, Frances E. Schultz. We also wish to thank Dr. Eldredge and Rev. Father Gmelch and Father Clark. Also Fahey's Funeral Service. Thanks for the many beautiful floral offerings.

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